

SENATE BILL 1094

By Southerland

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 63,  
relative to chiropractors.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 63-4-112(c)(3), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting the following:

(A) The minimum number of hours of required continuing education is at least twelve (12) hours in any calendar year.

(B) A chiropractic physician may satisfy any or all annual continuing education hours through either physical attendance or via remote learning, at the discretion of the chiropractic physician.

(C) The board shall not:

(i) Deny accreditation to a continuing education course solely on the basis that an attendee may complete the course via remote learning; or

(ii) Deny continuing education credit to a chiropractic physician for completing a course accredited by the board solely on the basis that the chiropractic physician attended the course via remote learning.

(D) For purposes of this section, "remote learning" means a method of attending a course of instruction in which some or all of the instruction is delivered to attendees through the effective use of technology.

SECTION 2. For the purpose of promulgating rules, this act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, this act takes effect July 1, 2021, the public welfare requiring it.